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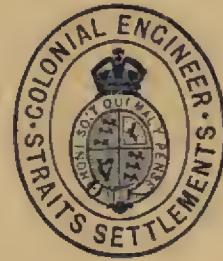
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# Museum and Herbarium

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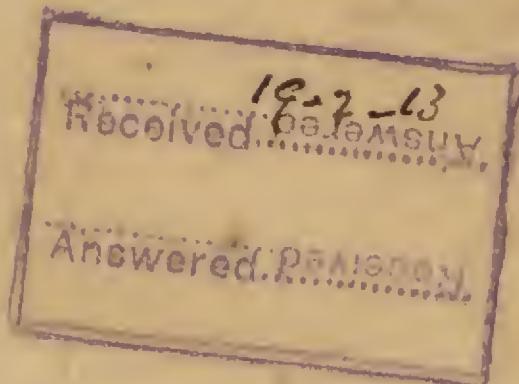
It is requested that the following number be quoted in the reply to this letter.

No.



Public Works Department,

Singapore, 18<sup>th</sup> February, 1915.



Sir,

With reference to your letter of 16th December last, I have the honour to inform you that provision has been ~~already~~ made in the Estimates for this year, for dealing with the roof of this building.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Colonial Engineer and Surveyor-General,  
Straits Settlements.

The Director of Gardens,  
Singapore.

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## DRAFT.

(G. 17)

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SIGNED BY

TO

C. S.

THE NEW

DATED

{ 1st of August }

to send to Mr. G. W. Moore

Standard of the U. S.

I have the honor to

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to extend the ~~standard~~ thestandard of the ~~standard~~ the Standardof the ~~standard~~ the Standard

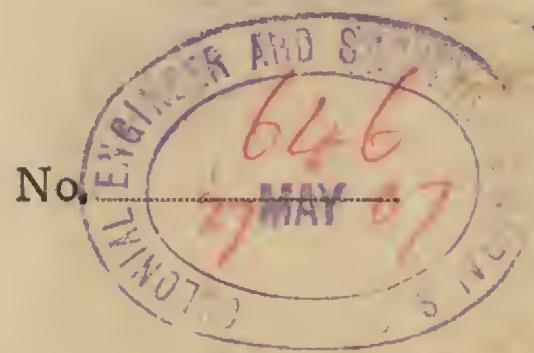
2 I should be very glad if such full  
repairs could be done at once as  
will save the Collector from  
~~the expense of~~ the expense of the damage.

Shane Ross

(3,000-Oct., 1905.)

(W 216)

*It is requested that the following number be quoted in the reply to this letter.*



PUBLIC WORKS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT,

Singapore, 27 M. A. Y., 1907.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 18th with reference to the condition of the roof of the Museum and Herbarium Building and to inform you I have had the roof thoroughly examined and it is reported to be in very good condition.

2. One or two of the syrian fillets to the ceilings have been attacked by white ants and these are being renewed by our Carpenters.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

Acting Superintendent of Works and Surveys.

The Acting Director of Gardens,

S I N G A P O R E.

(3,000-Oct., 1905.)

(W 216)

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PUBLIC WORKS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT,

Singapore, 31 MAY, 1905.

No.

Sir,

In answer to your letter 217/07 dated the 29th. instant, I have the honour to inform you that instructions have been issued to thoroughly coat the whole of the timber~~s~~ in the roof (new and old) of the Museum and Herbarium with "Jodalite" and for the White-ant Destroyer to make a thorough examination of the timber~~s~~ at least twice a month.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A handwritten signature in brown ink, appearing to read "W. H. Moore".

Acting Superintendent of Works and Surveys.

The Acting Director of Gardens,

SINGAPORE.

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No. 217  
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SIGNED BY

DATED { 29/5/07

To  
as Subj of W. & S  
S. Park

SIR,

Some other precautions  
- my object in again  
addressing you on the  
subject - is the fear that  
some of the white ants  
might get into the  
Academy Cabinets - &  
before we noticed it do  
irreparable damage  
~~to~~ ~~the~~ stone to the  
~~most~~ valuable collection  
of dried plants - which  
in some cases money  
could not replace.

Yours etc

In reply to your letter  
~~last~~ dated the 27<sup>th</sup> inst  
I enclose a continuation of my  
letter of the 18<sup>th</sup> inst I have  
the honor to inform you  
that although it has been  
reported to you that the  
roof is now in very good  
condition - the mere fact  
that there are white ants  
in the softer wood is a  
danger for it will only be  
a question of time when the  
main timber will be  
attacked. The work the  
Cooperatives are doing now  
is in itself of no use in  
stopping out the white  
ants. If made their work  
effective I would beg  
leave to suggest that  
the new wood they are  
using should be thoroughly  
coated with "Jodahite" or

20<sup>2</sup>  
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## DRAFT.

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DATED { 18-5-07

TO

SIR,

How Col. Sugars  
would ask that  
some ~~time~~ be sent to  
examine the building

I have etc

I would know  
to do as you desire  
the condition of the  
roof of the Museum  
& Herbarium Building  
in the garden -

There has been a report  
at work for some time  
~~Mr. ...~~ I fear  
however what he is doing  
is of very little use  
I have just  
the other day, Mr. ...  
have ridded some of  
the timbers of the roof -  
~~Mr. ...~~ has  
however one broken  
the other roof has  
fallen - I have broken  
a piece off and taken  
from the roof it

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to be used if required.

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